

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 ANNAMARIE RENTERIA-HINOJOSA,

12 Plaintiff, No. 2:23-cv-01413-DJC-DB

13 v.

14 SUNSWEET GROWERS, Inc.,

15 Defendant.

17 ANNAMARIE RENTERIA-HINOJOSA,

18 Plaintiff, No. 2:23-cv-01673-DAD-JDP

19 v.

20 SUNSWEET GROWERS, Inc.,

21 Defendant.

RELATED CASE ORDER

23 Defendant has filed a notice of related cases in both of the above-captioned
24 actions. Examination of these actions reveals that they are related within the meaning
25 of Local Rule 123(a). Here, "both actions involve similar questions of fact and the
26 same question of law and their assignment to the same Judge or Magistrate Judge is
27 likely to effect a substantial savings of judicial effort." Local Rule 123(a)(3).

1 Accordingly, the assignment of these matters to the same judge is likely to effect a
2 substantial savings of judicial effort and is likely to be convenient for the parties.

3 The parties should be aware that relating cases under Rule 123 causes the
4 actions to be assigned to the same judge, it does not consolidate the actions. Under
5 Rule 123, related cases are generally assigned to the judge to whom the first filed
6 action was assigned.

7 As a result, it is hereby ORDERED that 2:23-cv-01673 is reassigned from District
8 Judge Dale A. Drozd and Magistrate Judge Jeremy D. Peterson to the undersigned
9 and Magistrate Judge Deborah Barnes. Henceforth, the caption on documents filed
10 in the reassigned case shall be shown as 2:23-cv-01673-DJC-DB.

11 It is further ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court make appropriate adjustment
12 in the assignment of civil cases to compensate for this reassignment.

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15 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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Dated: September 29, 2023

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Hon. Daniel J. Calabretta
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE